Consturction of Aerodromes in Maharashtra

3398. SHRI YASHWANTRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Maharashtra have requested the Union Government to issue no objection certificate for constructing aerodromes in Ahmadnagar and Shirdi;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be issued?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) No, Sir. This Ministry has not received any proposal from the Government of Maharashtra for issue of No Objection Certificate for constructing Aerodromes in Ahmadnagar and Shirdi.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

[*English*]

Warehouses in States

3399. SHRIMATI MAHENDRA KUMARI:
SHRIMATI RITA VERMA:
SHRI CHETAN P. S. CHAUHAN:
SHRIMATI DIPIKA H. TOPIWALA:
SHRI DATTATRAYA BANDARU:
SHRI K. PRADHANI:
SHRI KODIKKUNIL SURESH:
SHRI DHARMABHIKSHAM:

Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) the number of warehouses/godowns in each district for storage of foodgrains, State-wise:

(b) whether the Government propose to construct more warehouses/godowns; and

(c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) The main Central agencies engaged in construction of storage capacity for foodgrains are Food Corporation of India (FCI) and Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC). Two statements indicating the number of warehouses/godowns operated by these agencies in various Districts in the country are indicated in statement-I and II. While warehouses/godowns operated by FCI are almost exclusively for storage of foodgrains, those of CWC are used for foodgrains as well as other commodities, industrial goods etc. Besides, the State Governments and their agencies, State Warehousing Corporations, Co-operatives etc. also construct storage capacities for foodgrains and other commodities.

(b) and (c). FCI and CWC have proposed expansion of storage capacity by 10 lakh tonnes and 12.5 lakh tonnes respectively during the 8th Plan period (1992-97) State-wise distribution of additional capacity, as tentatively indicated by the two Corporations, is given in statement-III.

STATEMENT

S. No.	*Name of Revenue District*	*Number of Godowns*
1	*2*	*3*
	BIHAR	
1.	Bhagalpur	2